

Trail Etiquette



- » **Stay on designated trails**
- » Do not go around or under barriers
- » Drive over, not around, obstacles such as small rocks and logs to avoid widening the trail. If you cannot go over an obstacle, instead of going off trail, turn around and go back the way you came
- » Control wheel spin. On switchbacks, avoid roosting around the apex of the turn when climbing or brake-sliding during descent, both of which gouge the trail
- » Be courteous to others on the trail. Yield the right of way to those passing you or traveling uphill
- » Pack out what you pack in



Daniel Trail is **extremely difficult** and not advised for ATV or Dirt Bikes

Dutch John and Dickey Bell Trails are rated **difficult**

It is advised that only experienced operators should ride on these trails

Plan Ahead

Check the weather before your trip

Tell someone of your travel plans

Carry a trail map with you

Pack water and snacks

Pack a first aid kit & fire extinguisher

Pack recovery gear, spare parts & a spill kit

Carry a cell phone or CB radio

Have a plan to recover your vehicle in case it becomes inoperable

ATV/DIRTBIKE



USDA Forest Service
Uwharrie National Forest



Uwharrie District Ranger Office
789 NC Hwy 24/27 E.
Troy, NC 27371
(910) 576-6391



Pass Required

Day pass or annual pass

A pass is required and must be displayed on the rear fender or gas tank and must be fully visible

Day pass is valid until 12:00 midnight of the date written on the pass

Vendors:

BC Trading Post:
2000 NC Hwy 109N, Troy 27371

Eldorado Outpost:
4021 NC Hwy 109N, Troy 27371

Uwharrie Trails General Store:
4568 NC Hwy 109N, Troy 27371

Uwharrie NF District Rangers Office:
789 NC Hwy 24/27E, Troy 27371

Swift Island BP:
4560 NC Hwy 24/27W, Mt. Gilead 27306

Uwharrie Sportsman:
4593 NC Hwy 24/27W, Mt. Gilead 27306

Prohibitions

ATV/dirt bikes may not operate on roadways, you must trailer your vehicle to trail heads

ATV / dirt bikes must have brakes, muffler, spark arrester in working order

NCDOT helmet and eye protection required

No double riding on ATV

No carrying of passengers unless ATV has factory installed passenger seat

Cannot operate under the influence of ALCOHOL or drugs including prescription drugs

No reckless driving

Must have working head and tail light

Reference: NC Senate Bill 189, codified in NC 20-171, Article 3, Section 10C. Adopted Forest Order 03-02-2006. Effective 12/1/2005. Enforced and subject to penalty by fine not to exceed \$5,000 or imprisonment

Parents & Guardians

Children under age 8 may not operate ATV or Dirt bike

Children ages 8-12 may not operate ATV 70 cc or larger

Children ages 12-15 may not operate ATV 90 cc or larger

Children under age 16 may not operate ATV or Dirt bike unless under continuous visual supervision of an adult over age 18

All children operating or riding on an ATV or Dirt Bike are required to wear NCDOT helmet and eye protection

